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INFORMATION REPORT

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SUBJECT	1.	Possible Replacement of Admiral	DATE DISTR.		9 October 1953		
	2.	Grecescu Course for Ships Outbound from	NO. OF	PAGES	1		
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- Admiral Emil J. Grecescu, commander of the Rumanian Navy, is reported to be inexperienced and inefficient and is likely to be replaced by Captain Mihai, fnu, his political officer. Captain Mihai is even more inefficient than Captain Grecescu but is much more aggressive.
- 2. Shipping leaving Constanta does so on a bearing of 121° until clear of two marker buoys beyond the harbor entrance when course is changed to 168°. After passing one further single marker buoy, course is set for the Bosphorus at 172°, ships passing Cape Caliacra at a distance of 17 miles. One naval patrol boat was observed at midnight on 8/9 August off Cape Kaliakra going in the direction of Constanta.

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